

ASSEMBLY BILL 597 (LRB -3009)

An Act to amend 946.465 of the statutes; relating to: interfering with a signal transmitted by a global positioning system and providing a penalty.

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- 11-29. A. Introduced by Representatives **Staskunas, Ziegelbauer, Musser, Jeskewitz, Albers, Turner, Sheridan, Ballweg, A. Ott, Kleefisch, Kaufert, Hahn, Soletski, Petrowski and Zepnick**; cosponsored by Senators **Plale, Lehman, Cowles, Roessler, Lazich, Olsen and Taylor**.
- 11-29. A. Read first time and referred to committee on Criminal Justice 369
- 12-05. A. Public hearing held.
- 12-11. A. Representative Hraychuck added as a coauthor 399

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- 01-30. A. Executive action taken.
- 02-21. A. Report passage recommended by committee on Criminal Justice, Ayes 10, Noes 0 520
- 02-21. A. Referred to committee on Rules 520
- 03-05. A. Placed on calendar 3-11-2008 by committee on Rules.
- 03-11. A. Read a second time 661
- 03-11. A. Ordered to a third reading 661
- 03-11. A. Rules suspended 661
- 03-11. A. Read a third time and **passed** 661
- 03-11. A. Ordered immediately messaged 661
- 03-12. S. Received from Assembly.
- 03-12. S. Read first time and referred to committee on Senate Organization.
- 03-12. S. Withdrawn from committee on Senate Organization and taken up.
- 03-12. S. Read a second time.
- 03-12. S. Ordered to a third reading.
- 03-12. S. Rules suspended.
- 03-12. S. Read a third time and **concurred in**.
- 03-12. S. Ordered immediately messaged.
- 03-12. A. Received from Senate concurred in.

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November 29, 2007 - Introduced by Representatives STASKUNAS, ZIEGELBAUER, MUSSER, JESKEWITZ, ALBERS, TURNER, SHERIDAN, BALLWEG, A. OTT, KLEEFISCH, KAUFERT, HAHN, SOLETSKI, PETROWSKI and ZEPNICK, cosponsored by Senators PLALE, LEHMAN, COWLES, ROESSLER, LAZICH, OLSEN and TAYLOR. Referred to Committee on Criminal Justice.

- 1 **AN ACT to amend** 946.465 of the statutes; **relating to:** interfering with a signal
2 transmitted by a global positioning system and providing a penalty.

Analysis by the Legislative Reference Bureau

Under current law, the Department of Corrections (DOC) monitors the movements of certain sex offenders via a global positioning system tracking device. It is unlawful for any person to tamper intentionally with a global positioning system tracking device that is used by DOC to monitor the movement of a sex offender. A person who does so is guilty of a Class I felony and is subject to a fine not to exceed \$10,000, imprisonment not to exceed three years and six months, or both.

This bill makes it unlawful for any person to tamper with, or interfere with a signal transmitted by, a global positioning system tracking device that is used by DOC to monitor the movement of a sex offender. Anyone who does so is guilty of a Class I felony.

Because this bill creates a new crime or revises a penalty for an existing crime, the Joint Review Committee on Criminal Penalties may be requested to prepare a report concerning the proposed penalty and the costs or savings that are likely to result if the bill is enacted.

The people of the state of Wisconsin, represented in senate and assembly, do enact as follows:

ASSEMBLY BILL 597

SECTION 1. 946.465 of the statutes, as created by 2005 Wisconsin Act 431, is amended to read:

946.465 Tampering with a global positioning system tracking device.

Whoever, without the authorization of the department of corrections, intentionally tampers with, or blocks, diffuses, or prevents the clear reception of, a signal transmitted by, a global positioning system tracking device or comparable technology that is provided under s. 301.48 is guilty of a Class I felony.

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